

Wanted.—Winnsboro Drug Store. January Bargains—H. Landecker. Sheriff's Sale—H. Y. Milling, S.F.C. Notice—S. R. Johnston, J. P. F. C. Profits Abandoned—Q. D. Willford & Co.

Local Briefs.

—Mr. W. B. Douglas has moved into the Flenniken home.

—School Commissioner Milling has taken charge of his office.

—A. E. Beckham is putting an addition to his new house on Liberty Street.

—The County Commissioners met on Tuesday and transacted considerable business.

—County Auditor Crosby qualified and took possession of his office on Monday.

—There has been another change in the railroad schedule. See our advertising columns.

—Mr. Chas. A. Robinson and bride, who have been in Charleston on a bridal tour, returned on Monday.

—This office is indebted to Mr. Geo. H. McMaster for some fine oranges grown on his own place in Florida.

—Mr. W. P. Gibson reports from township 10 that it is quiet, everybody ready for work and are very hopeful for the future.

—R. H. Jennings has moved into the house he recently purchased from the Cotton Factory Company, formerly occupied by W. H. Kerr.

—We miss the genial face of ex-School Commissioner Duke from the "Court House Ring," but believe he is down the country on business.

—We learn that there is a good deal of moving in the neighborhood of Woodward among the colored people. Cotton all picked and nearly all sold.

—Jury Commissioner Smith, County Auditor Withers and Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners Tennant met on Wednesday and revised the jury list for the year.

—Mr. W. H. Flenniken sold a fine Jersey cow a few days ago to Capt. R. S. Desportes, of Columbia. Mr. Flenniken has been quite successful with his Jerseys in the past.

—Isaac Jones, one of the oldest colored citizens of the town, died on Thursday night. He has been here for a long time and always behaved himself as an orderly citizen.

—Business on Monday was very good. A good deal of cotton was sold and merchants had a lively trade. The weather was fine after the severe spell we have been having.

—Ben Calvin, colored, living on Gen. John Bratton's place, had his corn crib burned on last Friday night. Loss about sixty bushels of corn. It was clearly the work of an incendiary.

—Owing to the illness of the pastor, Rev. J. T. Chalmers, the communion services at the A. R. P. Church were postponed one week. There was preaching by Rev. G. R. White, of North Carolina.

—Moses Mitchell, colored, from the Long Run neighborhood for whom the Sheriff had a warrant, charging him with a nameless offence came in Wednesday and surrendered himself to the Sheriff and was lodged in jail.

—A. Willford, received on Friday two carloads of fine fat, sick mules, all young and sound, both sexes and of all colors, which he proposes to sell for cash or on time or exchange. Call early and get first pick out of the lot.

—There is a considerable exodus of colored people from the White Oak neighborhood to Mississippi and Florida. Seventeen left in one bunch the other day. A good many more are expected to leave as the fever is high.

—An examination of the books in the Clerk's office shows a marked falling off of the number of liens filed to date in comparison with the same time last year. This is a good sign, and we hope it will show the same later in the season.

—Q. D. Willford & Co. use printer's ink freely, they are out to-day in a new advertisement announcing the fact that they don't care for profits or costs. They want to dispose of their goods, call on them and see if you can't save money.

—Complaint has been made to this office about the conduct of the colored boys on Sunday in the neighborhood of the postoffice and depot. We do think it is time such conduct should be stopped and we respectfully call the attention of the police to the matter.

—The Town Council are erecting a building on Vanderhoof street opposite the dwelling of Dubose Eggleston for the use of the Colored Fire Companies of the town. We hope they will put up a comfortable building as our colored fireman certainly deserve recognition of their services.

—In an interview with a gentleman from the neighborhood of Strother we learn that in that neighborhood some oats are being sown, but the quantity will be limited, owing to the high price of seed. Not much moving or changing of homes by the laboring population. Everybody in good spirits and hopeful for the present year.

—One of our little white boys had a narrow escape on Friday from being run over by the passenger train. Some of the boys are going to be killed before the practice of jumping on and off the moving trains is stopped. A few hours in the guard-house without regard to race or color and a liberal application of the rod at home would go a long way towards stopping this evil.

—The Clerk of the Court recently received from Judge Witherspoon decrees in the following cases:

W. H. Lyles et al. vs. A. C. Haskell et al. Decree for plaintiff.

Hattie S. Brooks vs. Hayne McMeekin, as Executor, and S. Henry Gibson vs. the same. Decree for plaintiff in each.

P. M. Spence vs. Rebecca Simpson et al. Decree for plaintiff.

The weather on Friday night, Saturday and Sunday night was

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

DELIVERED TO THE SHERIFF.—The following letter explains the situation in the Ford case: Ford was arraigned at the last term of Court for murder and a jury decided he was insane and the Judge committed him to the Asylum.

"Columbia, Jan. 8, 1891.

"To the Sheriff of Fairfield County, Winnsboro, S. C."

"The Board of Regents of the State Insane Asylum at their meeting to-day decided that John F. Ford, colored, of your county, had been sufficiently restored to mind, and that according to the order of Court in his commitment you be notified of that fact. He now awaits your order and will be pleased to turn him over to you or your authorized deputy. Please send as soon as possible. Very truly,

"P. E. GRIFFIN, M. D., Supt. "per Corbett."

In pursuance of the foregoing Deputy Sheriff McDowell went to Columbia on Saturday and brought Ford back. He is now in jail, and will be tried at the next term of Court.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

PERSONAL.—Mrs. Dr. W. E. Aiken has been to Columbia to see her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Douglas. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas have both been confined to bed with grip, but we understand they are better.

Master Henry Gooding has returned from a visit to Charleston where he has been to see his grandparents.

Mr. James A. Brice left for Charleston on Saturday to see his son, Mr. Paul Brice, who is quite sick.

Mr. J. E. McDonald went to Charleston Sunday morning and returned Monday and reports Mr. Brice better.

Miss Maggie Elder returned Saturday morning from Due West where she has been visiting friends.

The Misses Cathcart, of Columbia, who have been visiting in town returned on Monday.

F. H. McMaster, Esq., left on Monday for Florence where he will enter into partnership with Gen. W. M. Harlee for the practice of law.

Capt. C. S. Dwight left on Wednesday for New Orleans.

Mr. Jno. K. McCreight, of Charlotte, formerly of Winnsboro, paid his uncle, W. B. Gilbert, a flying visit this week on his way to Florida. Mr. McCreight is traveling in the interest of a publishing company, of Nashville, Tenn.

Capt. E. M. Wilson, of Sumter, formerly of Winnsboro, is in town on a visit to his friends.

Miss Jane B. Gilbert has gone to Florida to spend the balance of the winter. She will return in the spring.

"We have been using Genter's magic chicken cholera cure very successfully, and have dispensed with all others. No diseases, less food, and fine plumage." (Poultry Yards, Gordonville, Ky.) Sold and warranted by Dr. W. E. Aiken.

Y. M. C. A. LECTURE.

Messrs. Editors: W. A. Wynne, State Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., Columbia, S. C., will on the night of Saturday, 24th inst., at 7.30 o'clock, lecture to the Y. M. C. A. at Union Church, Fairfield County, and if possible he will lecture in Winnsboro on Sabbath night, 25th inst. Further notice of this will be given hereafter. The public are invited.

Mr. Wynne is a fluent speaker and one who has the well-being of young men at heart in bringing them to the kingdom of God.

ITEMS FROM BLYTHEWOOD.

The death of Mr. W. A. Marsh was quite a shock to the community. He was buried at Sandy Level Church on Sunday.

Mr. J. W. R. Peay has moved from this place to Cornwell.

Mr. J. W. Hattcock preached at Asbury on Sunday last. His text, Psalm 103. 3. Who forgive us all our iniquities; who heal all our diseases.

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UPPER LONGTOWN ITEMS.

Christmas and New Year passed off quietly. A few societies, a Xmas tree and the sound of fire crackers in every direction about filled the bill for fun.

Mrs. James Stewart was seriously injured on Thursday evening. She and her son, Mr. Joe Stewart were returning from Ridgeway. In coming down the Motley Hill the mule became unmanageable running furiously; both were thrown out of the buggy. Mr. Stewart was dragged some distance when the mule broke loose, leaving the buggy a perfect wreck. Mr. George Wilds passed in a short while and carried Mrs. Stewart home. She is suffering greatly.

Misses Jennie Cunningham, Lida Dixon and Martha Mobley, of Blackstock, and Miss Lizzie Harrison, of Ridgeway, are visiting friends in Longtown.

Mrs. Campbell and Miss Evans, of Rock Hill, are visiting Mrs. James Stewart.

Mr. William Simpson has moved to Longtown. We are glad to welcome such good people in our midst.

"Hurry for the railroad." I hope soon to hear the whistle of the engine "to wake up old Longtown."

E. H. D.

Longtown, S. C., January, 9th 1891.

RIDGEWAY ITEMS.

Our neighboring town, Ridgeway, is on quite a lively boom. At least a half dozen new buildings are in process of erection, and everybody seems to be on the move.

The town and vicinity have recently lost by death two old landmarks, in the persons of Mrs. James B. Coleman and Mr. R. R. Ridgeway. Each of them at the time of their death being octogenarians. It is always sad to lose any one by death, but especially so when two such characters as these are taken from our midst.

Mrs. Coleman was the widow of J. B. Coleman, and they had lived in Ridgeway nearly all their lives. She was a consistent member of the Baptist Church and was highly esteemed by all who knew her. She leaves children and grand children who will ever cherish her memory. At one time the Coleman estate owned about one-half the property of the town.

Mr. Ridgeway was also greatly beloved by all who knew him. He was a good citizen and neighbor and kind friend. He was for many years a ruling elder in the Presbyterian Church. He leaves a widow, children and grandchildren and a host of friends to mourn his death.

Hon. John A. Ridgeway, son of the above mentioned, has been on a visit to his old home. He has represented his county in the Florida Senate for four years, and is one of the most useful members of that body. He was re-elected last fall for another term. He is looking well and we wish him many years of usefulness.

"Don't Care to Eat."

It is with the greatest confidence that I can recommend a recommended remedy for loss of appetite, indigestion, sick headache, and similar troubles. This medicine gently tones the stomach, assists digestion, and makes one "real hungry." Persons in delicate health, after taking Hood's Sarsaparilla a few days, find themselves longing for, and eating the plainest food with unexpected relish.

SUGGESTIONS ABOUT TRIAL JUSTICES.

Messrs. Editors: It has often occurred to the writer during his experience of several years as a trial justice in this county that his usefulness could be frequently greater and his embarrassment less if he enjoyed means of information outside of technical law books, which one ignorant of the elements of law could hardly use to profit at all.

He became convinced that it would be of great advantage if the different magistrates should meet as a body the solicitor of the district at least twice a year, and pretty much as a grand jury hears a charge from the judge upon the duties it discharges, have him to bring before them clearly and in a manner devoid of legal technicalities the functions of their office.

Besides, at this opportunity, any point arising in one's course of duty needing light could obtain the solicitor's consideration and advice, thus giving all the benefit of the experiences of the several.

These meetings might produce a spirit of interest in a zealous performance which would develop a better administration of the laws. The intercourse made necessary in this manner would probably in time lead to practical suggestions as to improvements in little matters affecting the public that may benefit the people whom they serve.

The opinion formally expressed by such a body would undoubtedly have great weight.

The trial other considerations that occasionally induced the writer to broach the subject to Mr. McDonald a year ago, who has given it his hearty and full approval, and has cheerfully consented to give freely his time and labor involved.

The present being favorable for the beginning, Mr. McDonald has arranged to meet the trial justices in a body in the Court House at 11 a. m. on Saturday, 31st inst., being shortly before the spring term of Court, and it is hoped the attendance will be full, each one prepared with written questions upon matters he desires light, in addition to receiving the general information the Solicitor will extend as to the nature and extent of the duties of the trial justices.

K. A. MEARES, T. J. Ridgeway, January 9.

LEMON ELIXIR.

Its Wonderful Effect on the Liver, Stomach, Bowels, Kidneys and Blood.

Dr. Moxley's Lemon Elixir is a pleasant lemon drink that positively cures all Biliousness, Constipation, Indigestion, All Sick and Nervous Disorders, Kidney Disease, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Fevers, Chills, Palpitation of Heart and all other diseases caused by disordered liver, stomach and bowels. It is the first and best of all fatal diseases. 50 cts. and \$1 per bottle. Sold by druggists. Prepared only by H. Moxley, M. D., Atlanta, Ga.

LEMON HOT DROPS.

For coughs and colds, take Lemon Hot Drops.

For sore throat and Bronchitis, take Lemon Hot Drops.

For rheumatism and Laryngitis, take Lemon Hot Drops.

For consumption and Catarrh take Lemon Hot Drops.

For hemorrhage and all throat and lung diseases, take Lemon Hot Drops.

An elegant and reliable preparation. 25 cents, at druggists. Prepared only by Mr. H. Moxley, M. D., Atlanta, Ga.

For Over Fifty Years.

Mrs. Winslow's SOUTHERN SYRUP has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children's ailments, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for mothers' milk. It is a safe and reliable remedy. Sold by druggists. Prepared only by H. Moxley, M. D., Atlanta, Ga.

The "Pulpit and the Stage."

Rev. F. M. Shreve, Pastor United Brethren Church, Blue Mount, Kan., says: "I feel it my duty to tell what wonders Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me. My lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a few weeks. I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and am sound and well as ever."

Arthur Love, Manager Love's Funny Folks Combination, writes: "After a thorough trial and convincing evidence, I am glad to say that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption beats 'em all, and cures when everything else fails. The greatest of mothers I can do my duty and tell friends is to urge them to try it." Free trial bottle at McMaster, Brice & Ketchin's Drug Store. Regular sizes 50c and \$1.00.

CEDAR CREEK ITEMS.

Christmas has come and gone. The new year is at hand. Everybody is preparing for another crop. Labor is scarce. The farmers are offering good wages for hands.

There is quite a quantity of cotton in this section awaiting higher prices. There is but little wheat sown in this community.

There will be a lot of oats sown in the next thirty days.

There was a hot supper at the Rev. Mr. Entminger's on Christmas night for the benefit of Missah Church.

There was a Christmas tree at Sandy Level on Christmas Eve night.

Mr. J. A. Balentine lost his little infant last week. Its remains were interred in the Leithner burying-ground.

The congregation at Pine Grove are well pleased with the Rev. J. W. Murray as their pastor. Preaching every second and fourth Sundays in each month at 3 o'clock p. m.

There will be a hot supper and dance at Mr. Thos. Wooten's shortly.

Mr. P. C. Broom and family returned home Friday from a visit to Mrs. Broom's father where they spent Christmas.

There will be a good subscription from this section to the paper which is being published in Columbia. I guess we can get a straight paper of our own.

Tillman's wave has swept clean so far; it caught two webs for trial justices—one in No. 8 and one other in No. 13. These two make good ones, but they will even clean up their own party.

Some of the strongest Tillmanites in this district say "for God's sake get up a petition to defeat the new appointee for trial justice."

January 4.

"An Aid to the Family."

Sir John Swinburne tells with much gusto how, whenever he is introduced to anyone, he is asked: "Are you related to the poet Algernon Swinburne?" to which he invariably replies: "Yes, your soul I am brother of the Swinburne family, and he is related to me." Sir John has just here happily bit off the relationship of Westmoreland's Callisara Tonic. It is the head of the family; it ranks first, and the superlative merits of a tonic are embodied in it. It is pre-eminently the favorite with practicing physicians and they generously prescribe it. The formula combines the powerful virtues of the Callisara or Cinchona bark and other valuable tonics and alteratives. For indigestion, general debility, dyspepsia, torpid liver, impure blood or malarial poisoning, is an invaluable remedy. For sale by all druggists. Wholesale by McMaster, Brice & Ketchin.

ALL GUARDIANS, EXECUTORS, AND ADMINISTRATORS are hereby notified to file their annual returns in my office before March 1, next, as provided by law. S. R. JOHNSTON, J. P. F. C. Jan. 12, 1891. 1-13

DR. J. D. PALMER, of Ridgeway, announces that he has resumed the practice of medicine, and can be found at his former office for consultation, and that he will attend cases at a distance when required. 12-23x4

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of an execution to me directed, I will offer for sale before the Court House door in Winnsboro, S. C., on the

FIRST MONDAY IN FEBRUARY next, within the legal hours of sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described property, to wit:

All that certain tract of land, lying, being and situate in the County and State aforesaid, containing

SIX HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THREE AND ONE-FOURTH ACRES,

more or less, and bounded by lands of W. P. Gibson, Little River, and lands of Mrs. E. F. Lyles and others, known as the "Home Tract," and having special shapes and marks as are represented by a plat of survey made by W. B. Eiken, and dated the 4th of November, 1870.

ALSO,

All that certain tract of land, lying, being and situate in the County and State aforesaid, containing

EIGHT HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVEN ACRES, more or less, and bounded by Little River, by lands of Dr. John Wallace, Joseph Freshly, William H. McConnell, Joseph Clark, W. P. Gibson and others.

Levied upon as the property of Henry A. Gibson, deceased, and Stephen Gibson, deceased, at the suit of Thos. P. Young, executor of the last will of Stephen Gibson, deceased, and Robt. H. Jennings, as Administrator of Henry A. Gibson, deceased.

H. Y. MILLING, S. F. C. Sheriff's Office, Winnsboro, S. C., January 8, 1891. 1-10-35

WANTED.

WANTED, everybody in Fairfield County to know that we are selling Drugs, Medicines, etc., as cheap as you can buy them in any city in the State.

A COMPLETE LINE OF

Drugs, Stationery, Medicines, Pads, Toilet Articles, Inks, Perfumery, Pencils, Hair Brushes, Toilet Paper, Combs, Shoe Polish, Sponges, Sappio, Chamise Skins, Flavoring Extracts, Etc., Etc.

Also, the celebrated Royal Baking Powder and Eagle Brand Condensed Milk at the

Winnsboro Drug Store.

Next door to the Bank.

N. B.—We are still selling that well known Traylor Key West Cigar at 5c. The patronage of the public solicited.

Rebuilding Cedar Creek Bridge.

OFFICE OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, 20th December, 1890.

EALED PROPOSALS for the rebuilding of the bridge over Cedar Creek on the Middle Road leading from Bythwood to Simpson's Turnout, will be received at this office up to 12 o'clock M. the 25th day of January, 1891.

Specifications made known on application at this office.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

JNO. J. NEIL, Clerk Bd. Com.

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FOR SALE.

BY virtue of authority of the Judge of Probate, I will offer for sale on Friday, the 16th day of January, inst., at the residence of the late Capt. Jos. P. Hardie, two mules, one horse, one engine, one mill and two bells, one four-horse wagon, one buggy, one reaper, one mower and rake, one thrasher and one press.

Terms—Cash.

W. H. MACFIE, Administrator.

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Thousands of dollars worth of chickens are destroyed by Cholera every year. It is more fatal to them than all other diseases combined. But the discovery of a liquid remedy that positively destroys the Microbes has been made. Half of the young chickens are killed by Microbes before they are fyers. A 50-cent bottle is enough for 100 chickens. It is guaranteed. If, after using two bottles of a bottle you are not satisfied with it as a cure for Cholera, return it to the druggist from whom you purchased it, and he will refund your money.

For sale by

DR. W. E. Aiken.

TAKE BOTANIC BLOOD BALM FOR ALL SKIN AND BLOOD DISEASES.

Once or twice each year the system needs purging of the impurities which clog the blood. From childhood to old age, no remedy makes so certain with the same certainty of good results as

BOTANIC BLOOD BALM.

W. C. McGaughey, Webb City, Ark., writes: "B. B. B. has done me more good and for less money than any other blood purifier I ever used. I love the comfort of my life to it."

P. A. Stephens, Webb City, Ark., August 20, 1888, writes: "I depend on B. B. B. for the preservation of my health. I have had it in my family now nearly twenty years, and in all that time have had to have a doctor."

Write for illustrated "Book of Wonders," BLOOD BALM Co., Atlanta, Ga. Sent free.

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